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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
REPRESENTING FILE SYSTEM
METADATA WITHIN A DATABASE FOR
EFFICIENT QUERIES

Examiner: M. Le

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the final Office Action dated September 24, 2008, please consider the above-identified U.S. patent application in light of the following comments:

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